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FM AMEMBASSY ABU DHABI

TO SECSTATE WASHDC IMMEDIATE 2415

AMEMBASSY BEIRUT IMMEDIATE

AMCONSUL KARACHI IMMEDIATE

UNCLAS ABU DHABI 0036

BEIRUT FOR RCO

E.O. 11652: N/A

TAGS: ACOM, TC

SUBJ: ABU DHABI TELEPHONE SYSTEM

REF: (A) ABU DHABI 1851 (B) KARACHI 14

1. NEW CRISIS HAS BEFALLEN OUR PHONE SYSTEM. POST NOW
CANNOT MAKE OR RECEIVE CALLS. INTERCOMM WORKING, BUT
OTHER SYSTEMS NOW INOPERATIVE.

2. SYMPTONS AS FOLLOWS: INCOMING CALLS RING, WHEN PHONE IS
PICKED UP TO ANSWER, LINE GOES DEAD. LIGHTS WORK.
ALL LINES ARE DEAD WHEN PHONE IS PICKED UP TO DIAL OUT-
SIDE.

3. POST HAS NO RPT NO SPARE 400D CARDS TO USE AS REPLACEMENTS.
SUGGEST DEPT AIR POUCH SET. WE WILL PROVIDE FISCAL DATA
WHEN COST KNOWN. IN MEANTIME, PLS ADVISE IF ANYTHING WE
CAN DO TO PUT SYSTEM BACK IN OPERATING ORDER. POST
HAS CODEL ARRIVING IN TWENTY FOUR HOURS AND NEEDS SYSTEM
DESPERATELY.

4. BELIEVE IT PARAMOUNT THAT HOOPER OR OTHER QUALIFIED
TECH BE SENT TO ABU DHABI TO NOT ONLY MAKE REPAIRS,
BUT TO ANALYSE SYSTEM AND AS HOOPER SUGGESTS REWIRE
SYSTEM OR SCRAP IT ENTIRELY IF THAT BE THE ONLY SOLUTION.

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5. PLS ADVISE.
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